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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

G. MICHAEL PHILLIPS, ET AL.

Serial No.: 09/392,106

Filed: September 8, 1999

For: FORECASTING USING INTERPOLATION  
MODELING

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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 11, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows.